

## Function Examples

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## Announcements

Review

## What Would Python Display?

The print function returns None. It also displays its arguments (separated by spaces) when it is called.

```
from operator import add, mul
def square(x):
    return mul(x, x)
```

A function that takes any argument and returns a function that returns that arg

```
def delay(arg):
    print('delayed')
    def g():
        return arg
    return g
```

Names in nested def statements can refer to their enclosing scope

This expression	Evaluates to	Interactive Output
5	5	5
print(5)	None	5
print( <u>print(5)</u> ) None	None	5 None
<u>delay(delay)()(6)()</u>	6	delayed delayed 6
print(delay(print)()(4))	None	delayed 4 None

## What Would Python Print?

The print function returns None. It also displays its arguments (separated by spaces) when it is called.

```
from operator import add, mul
def square(x):
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```

A function that  
always returns the  
identity function

```
def pirate(arggg):
    print('matey')
    def plunder(arggg):
        return arggg
    return plunder
```

**This expression**

**Evaluates to**

**Interactive  
Output**

add(pirate(3)(square)(4), 1)

17

Matey  
17

func square(x)

16

pirate(pirate(pirate))(5)(7)

Error

Matey  
Matey  
Error

Identity function

5

A name evaluates to the value bound to that name in the earliest frame of the current environment in which that name is found.

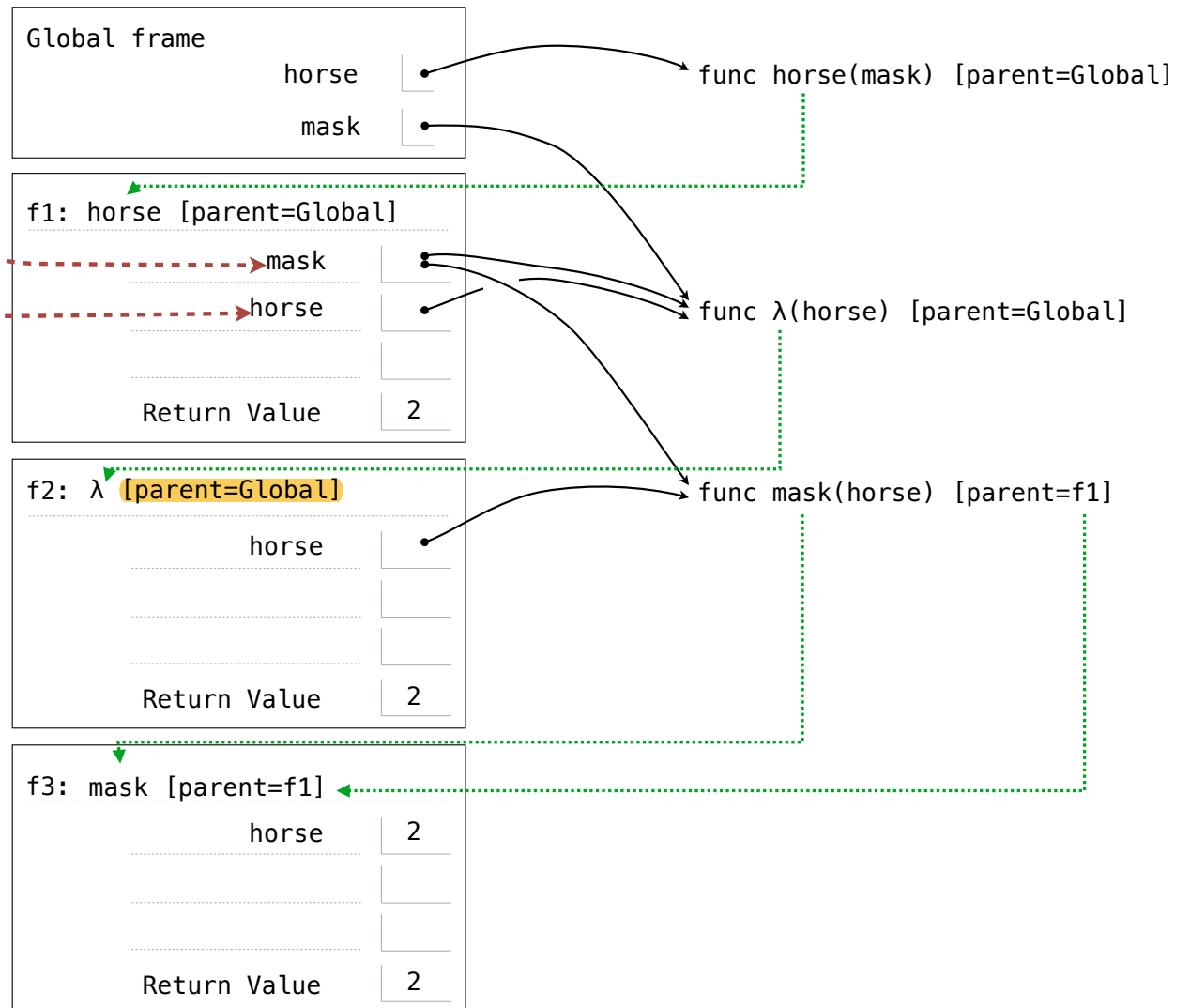
```

def horse(mask):
    horse = mask
    def mask(horse):
        return horse
    return horse(mask)

mask = lambda horse: horse(2)

horse(mask)

```



## Implementing Functions

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```
def remove(n, digit):
    """Return all digits of non-negative N
    that are not equal to digit, for some
    digit less than 10.

    >>> remove(231, 3)
    21
    >>> remove(243132, 2)
    4313
    """
    kept, digits = 0, 0
    while n > 0:
        n, last = n // 10, n % 10
        if last != digit:
            kept = 10*kept + last*10**digits
            digits = digits + 1
    return kept
```

Annotations in the code:

- Callout boxes: One points to the parameter `digit` with the value `4`. Another points to the variable `kept` with the value `231`.
- Handwritten annotations: Above the `while` loop, the number `231` is written. To the right of the `kept` assignment, the calculation `21 + 20 + 30 = 71` is shown, with `21` underlined. To the right of the `digits` assignment, the calculation `1 + 1 + 1 = 3` is shown, with `1` underlined.

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        if last != digit:  
            kept = kept/10 + last  
            digits = digits + 1  
    return round(kept * 10 ** (digits-1))
```

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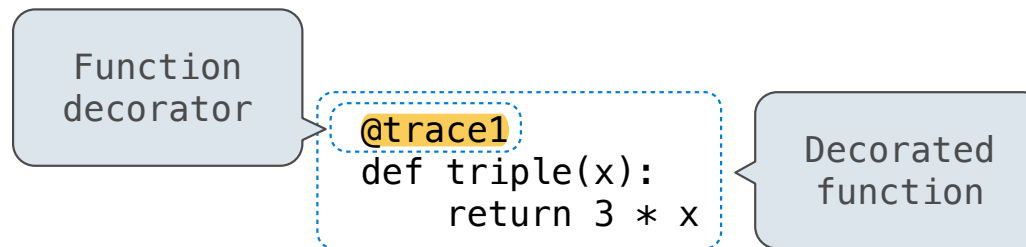
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# Decorators

## Function Decorators

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(Demo)



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